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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF KÜRNSTEINER ET AL.	Art unit: 1652 Examiner: Malgorzata A. Walicka
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FOR: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF CEPHALOSPORIN C	

Commissioner for Patents  
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached form(s) PTO-1449. Copies of the cited references are provided herewith.

The listed references were cited in during prosecution of foreign equivalents of the present application.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form.

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